

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

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The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time, featuring a treble and bass staff. The key signature has one sharp (F#). The melody is primarily in the treble staff, with the bass staff providing a harmonic accompaniment of chords. The piece consists of four measures, each ending with a repeat sign. The melody includes several eighth and sixteenth notes, with some measures featuring a fermata over the final note.

1. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Come unto me and rest;
lay down, O weary one, lay down
your head upon my breast."
I came to Jesus as I was,
so weary, worn and sad;
I found in him a resting place,
and he has made me glad.
2. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Behold, I freely give
the living water, thirsty one,
stoop down and drink and live."
I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream;
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
and now I live in him.

3. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, your morn shall rise,
and all your day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun;
and in that light of life I'll walk
till trav'ling days are done.